\$1.00 A Year

LITTLE GEMS

From Tennyson

Willows whiten, aspens quiver, Little breezes dusk shiver Though the wave that runs for-

By the island in the river Flowing down to Camelot, Four gray walls, and four gray towers.

Overlook a space of flowers, And the silent isle embowers The Lady of Shalott, -FROM "THE LADY OF SHALGTT.

How sweet it were, hearing th downward stream.

With half-shut eye ever to seen Falling asleep in a half-dream To dream and dream, like yonder amber light, Which will pot leave the myrrh-

bush on the height; To hear each other's whispered speech;

Eating the Lotos day by day, To watch the crisping ripples on the beach,

And tender curving lines of cream y spray; To lend our hearts and spirits wholly

To the influence of mild- minded melancholy;

To muse and brood and live again in memory, With those old faces of our infacy Heaped over with a mound of

grass, -Two handfuls of white dust, shut laugh heartily. Loros-EATERS,"

How dull it is to pause, to make

in use! As though to breathe were Life piled on life

Were all too little. -FROM "ULYSSES."

The splendor falls on castle wal And snowy summits old in story The long light shakes across the lakes,

And the wild cataract leans in

echoes dving .- Song From "THE PRINCESS."

Henceforth thou hast a helper

me, that know The woman's cause is man's, they

rise or sink Together, dwarfed or gcdlike bond or free:

For she that out of Lethe scales The shining steps of Nature, shares here all night."

with man His nights, his days moves with him to one goal

Stays all the fair young planet in her hands-

If she be small, slight-natured miserable.

How shall men grow? FROM "THE PRINCESS."

Love took up the glass of Time, and turned it in his glowing hands:

Every moment, lightly shaken, ran itself in golden sands. Leve took up the harp of Life, and smote on all chords with might;

out of sight.

-FROM "LOCKSLEY HALL."

Men, my brothers, men the work-

shall do.

-FROM "LOCKSLEY HALL,"

Yet I doubt not through the ages one increasing purpose runs, And the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the suns. -FROM "LOCKSLEY HALL,"

Through the shadow of the globe we sweep into the younger

cycle of Cathay. -FROM "LOOKSLEY HALL!

This is truth the poet singa,

That a sorrow's crown of sorrow is remembering happier things. FROM "LOCKSLEY HALL."

Sunset and evening star, And one clear call for me! And may there be no mosning of the bar.

When I put out to sea. Twilight and evening bell, And after that the dark! And may there be no sadness farewell,

When I embark. -FROM "CROSSING THE BAR."

O love! O fire! once he drew With one long kiss my whole so My lips, as sunlight drinketh dew

FROM "FATIMA." Sleep sweetly, tender heart,

Sleep, holy spirit, blessed soul While the stars burn, the moons increase.

And the great ages onward roll FROM PORM "To J. S."

That tower of strength Which stood four-square to al the winds that blew. FROM "ODE ON THE DEATH O THE DUKE OF WELLINGTON."

What Amused Him The attendant at a boy's club by solitary occupants. noticed that a small negro who was a regular visitor at the read- camps on the headwaters of Skle ing-room always asked for the same book, and always turned to the same place, at which he would look eagerly and then store that has a remarkable tradi-

in an urn of brass!-FROM "THE The attendant's curiosity was This cave is probably twenty by aroused by a perfomance so many thirty feet in width and some times repeated, so he followed the little fellow one night, and, looking over his shoulder, saw that he side of the room five feet from had opened the book to a picture the floor, we found these initials To rust unburnished, not to shine of a bull chasing a terrified negro and dates. "A. O. B., April. across a field. He was just about 1792" This incription, to those life. to ask what the joke was, for the familiar with the earely laugh had again come rippling up to him when the boy looked around, grinning:

A large touring automobi containing a man and his wife in a narrow road met a hay wagon fully loaded. The woman declared Blow, bugle, blow! set the wild that the farmer must back out, but her husband contended that she was unreasonable.

"But you can't back the auto mobile so far," she said, "and l don't intend to move for anybody He should have seen us."

The husband pointed out th this was impossible, owing to an abrupt turn in the road.

"I don't care," she jusisted. "I wont move if we have to stay The man in the automobile was

starting to argue the matter when the farmer, who had been sitting quietly on the hay, interrupted. "Never mind, sir." he exclaimed, "I'll try to back out. I've got

one just like her at home."

The Duke of Durham The late Mr Washington Duke that time, Benjamin and Jerry of Durham, Noth Carolinia, at Carpenter, with their families, home know as "Uncle Wash," were the only settlers on the up who manufactured tobacco proof a century, used to tell a quaint Indians east of the Ohio river. little story on himself.

Brussels, and went to see its sights of twenty-five years, was disap-Smote the chords of Self, that In one of the public buildings I pointed in a love affair with Miss trembling passed in music found an ordinary looking arm- Isabel Burgoyne, only daughter of tramping. I stepped over the fence engagement by the father resulted

and buttons was on me at once. blustered. See the card on the immediately disposed of once occupied that chair!'

Duke of Durham, and alive at

them every time. I had my rest and age, but threw all away and plagued, volt, warmth, wasp, out in that solid old chair of the hermetically confined himself to wharves, width, with, waterloo hero."

OLD INDIAN GAMPS.

markable Traditional History Connect with Adam O'Brien's Cave in webster Co.

ine between the counties of Webster and Nicholas, the country is dotted with immense boulders which have fallen in ages past from gravite cliffs that circle the tains and this disint caused by heat and cold, Every shower of rain sh lay and gravel to a lower level and exposes the solid rock to na ture's corroding elements. This is country of cliffs and caves, says the Braxton Central, and the lone hunter in early times experienced no trouble in finding a commodious and dry camp under many of the projecting cliffs. In many of those natural camps you will find today undisputed evidence of their early occupancy by the Indians. where you find rude stone and clay instruments with flint arrows heads, and by early hunters and trappers where you find beech trees near camp carved with initial letters and names and dates, made

There is one of these natura creek and within one-fourth of mile of Colonel L. M. Squires's tional history connected with it. eight feet high, and on the north ments made on the Elk river and its tributaries, is very easily "Golly, he ain't kotched him understood and can admit of but one interpretation. The initials are those of Adam O'Brien one of the first white men who penetrated the wilds of this section and looked upon the wonders of the undisturbed natural scenery. An earthly paradise to the wild Indian and the equally wild hunter, as the woods then were alive with choice game of all known varie ties and the streams teemed with the choicest species of fish. these mountains, and alone Adam O'Brien spent the middle and latter years of his earthly pilgrimage. Once in two and three years he would visit Clarksburg, the nearest town, with a load of valuable furs and peltsf. lay in a supply of powder, lead and flints, and return to his distant and lone camp. From the dates carved in this noted camp, it is evident that he was there or in the vicipity when a small party of Shawnee Indians murdered the Carpenter family at the mouth of Holly

per waters of Elk river, and this ducts so extensively for a quarter was the last raid made by the Tradition informs us that Adam "The first time I traveled O'Brien was born in Bath county. abroad," he said, "I visited Virginia, in 1742, and at the age chair carefully railed off and with General Burgoyne, who figured a chain across its front. Being in the early history of the Ameritired with a hard morning of can Revolution. Opposition to the let down the chain and with a big in his sending her to England, sigh of relief, dropped into this where she soon wedded the Earl That which they have done but chair, the only one I had seen in of Cavendish, a cousin to King most majestic vehicle for blank earnest of the things that they the building. A guard in lace George the Third. This so thoroughly and ignominiously "No sitting in that chair!" he disgusted young O'Brien that he his back? The Dake of Wellington possession in Bath county and fled to the wilderness with guns, an as follows: Aitch, alb, amongst, "Well, and what of it?' I re- ample store of ammunition and a avenge, bilge, bourn, breadth turned, cool as a cucumber. I'm full camping outfit. But for this brusk, bulb, coif, conch, cusp unfortunate episode and blighting depth, doth, eighth, fifth, film bloom to all his future aspirations | forge, forth, fugue, gulf, hemp "This settled the matter; down in life, O'Brien might have cut lounge, mauve, month, morgue, to the floor went that flunkey, an important and indelible figure mourned, mouth, pinth, oblige, of brushing the dust from my heavy in the stiring and history moulding pearl, pint, porch, pork, poulp, American shoes with his hand- events of his time. He was edu- prestige, puss, recumb, sauce, Better hity years of Europe than a kerchie; of real Europeau linen, cated to the full extent of the op- scare scarf, sixth, spoilt, swoln, A way up English title catches portunities available in that day sylph, tenth, torsk, twelfth, un-

river, in the spring of 1792. At

with the wild animals of the est. Although O'Brien a weakness in permitting marital disappointment to and wreck all his plans ow man, yet that he was of unquestionable courage fearless of all danger, we

loubt, as he roamed in a certifory constantly infests oving bands of ravage by the fierce and formide pimals of the forests gaged in conflict with one anoth But as we once said hereto

will doubtless never know," paragraph in 'Wither's Border

The Actual Height of Sea Waves.

much higher than the waves far- the cattle man, but he should not ther north. Says the New York be so much a bourbon as to close

never seen such waves as those profit, laying it over the lordly which the early navigators declar- steer many times. Mr Hevener's edattained heights of one hundred farm, with its 3,000 acres of sunshine. to one hundred and thirty feet. blue grass land, 1800 acres of La Perouse asserted that he saw which is in sod, is an ideal place waves towering in the Pacific to a for sheep, and a few years will height of nearly two hundred feet, see it stocked with flocks of In these more scientific days we thoroughbred sheep, cared for in a may say that the highest waves scientific way. about fifty-two feet.

regions did not surpass fifty-eight with Sheep." feet in latitude. A wave of that

Ocean for example, are about forty experience in sheep. feet. The highest waves in the

waves has considerable destructive in the business. power. Some of them travel along impressive.

Words That Will Not Rhyme.

The English language is a wonsingle exception of Latin, it is the verse and poetry. There are many words in Eng-

lish that have no rhyme. A given in "The Rhymers' Lexicon," by Andrew Lang, they are

THOROUGH BRED SHEEP

A Flock of First class Shropshires

Perhaps the best flock of sheet Pocahontas county, and as good one as can be found any where, wener, the cattle king of upper cahontas, but instead of "folwing the footsteps of a steer. e is making sheep raising a spo iality. Some years since he starttopshire bucks until his flock has attained a high degree of ex. years, 10 months and 28 days. fore. When, and where, and how cellence. Some months since at this remarkable man terminated heavy expense he imported some his eventful life we know not and registered Shropshire ewes, These sheep were bought from A. W. With the exception of a short Dolph, Teegarden, Indiana and have been bred to Davinson's tions are found in print. Conse- a Shropshire as was ever raised. quently we are forced to rely upon He is to be complimented in his generally acceptable tradition for attempt to build up the sheep in all we say respecting his history. dustry of our county, which while it may not be on the decline is not making the advance is Waves are the agents of tre- should in view of the increased mendous force, as the batterings profit of sheep culture over cattle. received by the big ocean liners There is a difference in sheep, in the winter storms tend to prove. but the difference can not be ap But the waves of the North Atlan- preciated until one has compared tic are not the bighest waves nor the ewe necked ungainly animal the most forcible. The most tree with its paltry two pound fleece of mendous of seas are those that inferior wool, which from time form south of the Cape of Good immemorial has eked out barely Hope and Cape Horn, where the an existence on brush and briers oceanic belt is unbroken by land. with a well bred Shropshire with How high those southern waves its stocky body and ten pound rise has not been accurately meas- fleece of high grade wool. There ured, so far as can be discovered; is a small wonder that sheep were but probably they are not very as abomination in the sight of

his eyes to the sheep of today Sailers in modern times have which is a thing of beauty and of

vet measured had an altitude of The following was handed us by a practical stockman who is This was in the southern ocean meeting with success in the sheep little north of the Antarctic re- business, taken- from the Inland gions; and it is quite certain that Farmer, where it was published the highest waves ever seen in that under the caption, "Beginning

Sheep are high and there will height would certainly be a formi- be many beginners, nevertheless. bable looking object, and its crest When wool prices advance then would wash the windows of the people are eager to get sheep, and fifth story of many New York when they decline they are as eager to get rid of flocks. The re-The average height of the waves cent advance in wool has caused n differeent oceans has been as a general demand for sheep, and certained with some approach to they are held at good prices. This fratenrity our much esteemed son accuracy as the result of a great stimulus says: The Homestead, and neighbor D. P. Trump, theremany measuaements. The highest will cause many to embark in the fore be it resolved. waves observed in the Indian business who have had little or no

Any business should be done in North Atlantic are from twenty- a cautious manner and in this renine feet, and in the Mediterran- gard sheep are no exception, and ean from sixteen to nineteen feet, one should learn as much about Even the smaller of these great them as possible before engaging

Select that breed which seems

at a speed of twenty five miles an to fill your fancy and one that will hour. A wave about thirty feet be considered good for your lohigh contains thousands of tons of cality and environment. After water and when this immense force making the selection outline your is dashed against any structure plan of procedure and stick to it. reaved family, and copies sent to the ruin wrought is likely to be It will be much safer to begin the local papers with the request with a few common ewes for the first year and these should be not younger than two years old nor over three. The beginner can not derful, living growth. With the expect to do well with younger ewes and he should not have much older, for they soon go thin after

> good lambs will pay for him. It will be most difficult to wrong if one is painstaking and apt to learn and the sheep themselves will be good educators. Make friends with your sheap. A little feed given sheep when one couple among them." goes where they are will soon create quite a friendship.

the full mouth period. Get a good

ram of the breed selected. Ten

Sheep should not be confined kept dry there will usually be but asked: little trouble. Keep the quarters "Mamma, which papa do you in farming. is dry the sheep will not feel any other papat' -

cold, but when wet they soon go

can be closely watched and one winters ever known. will learn a great deal of them and their wants will be more ing for two weeks. He expects to easily observed. We know of no raise a big crop of potatoes this better school, and by starting season. He also expects to build a that of Urish Hevener, Jr. of with a few the results will not be house this summer with Geo. H. bovale. He is a son of Uriah disastrons should one fail to learn Harper contractor for stone work the best way at first.

Virdie Cochran

Virdie Cochran the oldest laughter of L S. and E. A. Coch-

by physicians and by her parents his toes. He was brought to Geo. that could be done, and when Dr. H. Hefners by W. M. Adkisson Cooper told her that she must die and John Beverage, where he has she took her ring from her finger been making his home for the past and gave it to her weeping Fath- year. Warfare," none of O'Brien's ac- 1328 Champion 1903 ram, as good er, and said "Take this to Mother, tell Bertie to be good. I am Hogsett to do his farming the going a long way off and never to coming season. come back. Tell them all to meet me in heaven; I will be there bought a fine lot of red oak of the interest of road matters. waiting."

With this sweet assurance she manufacture it in the spring, passed away without a struggle. was almost a mother to six chil-Her funeral was preached by his arm.

the writer from the text found in 2nd Cor. 8 chapter, 9th verse, to ish his job of logging for W. a large sympathizing congregation | McClintic in about two weeks. He in Old Droop Church on Monday March 5, and her body was laid togs. to rest in Droop Cemetery.

consolation to hearts bereaved of a She is going into the chickens turnpike. beloved daughter and sister. A business. tender clinging vine interwoven in sweet memories, from the hour job of brush cutting on Stamping the trees and sing of the Nola the angel first gave her to your Creek and boards at Mr Strugess. home; a gentle spirit of light that He came home very ill the other flitted in and out like a gleam of day

No one can fill her place in the ing debate at Buckeye every Satvacant chair: no one will take her urday night. place in your hearts. And you would not have the void filled, even if you could. It will be a sa. cred thought in the years to come as foreman, successor to Jack to parents and friends, that she McDowall. shed radiance in the home as long as she did.

It will be a blessed recollection that she grew up to love and and wavy spruce be loved by those who will ever so tenderly cherish her sweet and about 80 men, consisting of men pure memory.

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints. during the absence of his brother 116 Psalm 15th verse.

C. M. M. Faltz. Resolutions

Whereas it has pleased th Great Father to remove from our

First, that while we deeply mourn the death of our beloved neighbor, we bow in humble submission to his wise Providence. Second, that we assure the bereaved widow, mother, and children that our every heart beats in sympathy with their grief and sorrow, and pray that great good

may come of this sore affliction. Third, that a copy of these resoutions be spread upon the minutes of the camp, a copy sent to the beto publish the same in their

C. L. Shaw C. W. Moore J. D. Pope

In a car speeding over a Western prairie, one man remarked to another: This is the first time I ever ramps.

newly married pair on board. Tom Carlton who was employed I have been studying the passen- on the loader, and by accident gers and there is not a bridal got crippled on the knee cap. We

with a lady and a little girl across too closely in winter and yet they the aisle walked to the end of the all O. K. hould have shelter. When the car. The child leaned forward and I. B. Shrader who was employ- 14 in, solid tooth, neither have fleeces and feet of the sheep are in a shrill, penetrating treble ed on Loader No. 5. left for his been buckled. Distin and Brauer

Buckeye

Our March weather is very fine By obtaining a few sheep, they and we have had one of the finest

George Jackson has been grubband J. R. Painter carpenter.

son have been making sugar. They have made over 100 pounds.

Robert L. Puffenberger, a na n of Baard, Pocahoutas Co. ive of Crab Bettom, Virginia, who fied at Hinton Hospital, Saturday came to this country about seven the scenery. March, 3rd of peritonitis, age 14 years ago, while running H. K. Wilsons sawmill last Saturday had Every thing was done for her the misfortune to saw off three of

Lock McNeil has hired to Ken

Bill Adkisson of Academy has George Sheets, and expects to

While Dannis Cloonan and While she was young in years she Snowden Kellison were passing was the main stay in the home, near by Jake Webster, Dennis was struck on the arm with a rock dren. Her short life was spent which was thrown from the brush in trying to make others happy. by unknown parties, which broke

Geo. H. Hefner expects to finhas cut and pealed about 2000

Mrs Liddie Baverage has order-How feeble are words to carry ed two incabators and 100 eggs. Coe Adkisson has taken a big river to rest under the shade of

Srpuce Camp 2 It is reported that Jack Caug'ilin will take charge of our camp

the hazardous duty of the Ameri- 180 pound avoirdupois; red comcan woodsman among the lofty

The foreman has in his employ

and professional sod busters. Noah Wilfong is cheif cook Brown who is out looking after

his household and kichen furniture. Bill Craven is wearing and Shraders last Sunday evening. cultivating a fine crop of whiskers which he will shed the 4th of July. Bob Oaks has measured his head for a wig and is one of John's

favorite teamsters. Fred Tyree spends most of his Sunday out entertaining the fair

We have two talking machine's in camp, Pete Wusin and Tom Burkert; all we have to do is to drop a penny in the slot, no crank

to turn always wound up. We have a steam loader, Barn Heart No. 5.

ers connected with the loader. Clint Sharp, Brakeman Ham-

learning to work on the loader. We have a night watchman, Ira Tharpe. He is from Greenbrier land, 50 acres devoted exclusively to the raising of Whistle Pigs. 500 Whistle Pigs are raised a year and marketed at New Town Whistle Pig and Loak market. 50 acres are cultivated in Leaks, better known to the woodsman as

We are anxious to hear from understand he was sent to a Balti-Just then the train stopped, more Hospital where he would and a man who had been seated have his knee successfully treated. It is hoped that he will get along

wolf, dry rather than warm. If the fleece like best, this new papa or my You may hear me again when the blue birds whistle,

Shradersville

Fine weather in this part. The farmers are preparing for their spring crop.

Mrs A. C. Moore died at her home on Browns Creek, Friday, after several months suffering. She leaves a husband and three children, two daughters and a son, to mourn her loss. Heartfelt sympa-Bill McNeil and Emory Adkis- thy is extended to the bereaved family.

Davis Dilley was seen in this art last week viewing the site of his old homestaed and taking in

Shrader Bros. made a business trip to Marlinton Monday.

Rev. Hogsett of Mill Point preached a very interesting sermon on Browns Creek Saturday night. Coe Beverage, aflourishing and enterprising farmer, has done a lot of plowing. Coe is a genuine

R. C. Shrader the road superntendent, made a business trip to Marlinton one day last week in

W. H. Dilley was at Marlinton one day last week on business.

Hevener Dilley is still a frequent visitor in the Frost vicinity. The big trial of Sharp, Jordan and Brumbaugh at Dunmore Monday the 5th was something servenderable.

Clayton Dilley has been working at the carpenter trade on Kuapps Creek, He says he likes his trade O. K., most especially in the wood.

C. K. Moore sold a ton of oats to Montgomery Ward at the Junction of the Hills and Laurel Run Luster Shrader goes over the

Miss Alice Clark, prece the Sulphur Spring echool is progressing nicely, it being one of the most flourishing and interesting schools taught there for

number ot years. Will is raising a crop of whiskers for a paint brush.

WANTED: A small road monkey about The weather is fine to perform the size of a man, weight about plected with sorrel whiskers and mustache to match, must mate in size and match in color to the one in this vicinity. This is the old original monkey escaped from Dad Dinkles Navy on Cheat Mountain

> about January 5, 1905. Ed McLaughlin and Miss Pearl Dilley were callers at I. S. Mrs W. L. Moore, we

sorry to say is not improving. Notice to Take Depositions

To Wm. M. McAllister, R. S. Turk, Joseph R. England. Charles P. Jones, and Uriah Bird:

You will take notice that on the 29th day of March, 1906, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 6 p. m, of that day, at the law ofgce of Talbot & Hoover, in the city of Elkins, Randolph County. El Gulnack operates the labor- West Virginia, the undersigend shall proceed to take the depositions of G. N. Wilson, T. J. Arbrick and Russ McLaughlin are nold and others to be used as evicence in its behalf in a suit in equity now pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, W. County. He owns 100 acres of Va., in which the undersigned is plaintiff and you are defendants. And if from any cause the tak-

ing of said depositions be not com menced on that day, or being commenced, be not concluded, the same shall be continued from day to dry to day, or from time to time, at the sami place, and be ween the hours, until completed WILDELL LUMBER COMPANY,

By Talbott & Hoover, February 27, 1906. Attornays

FOR SALE

Two second hand mill saws. 1-54 in Chissel tooth and other home some days ago to engage Falls make. Chesp for want of

C. E. Brinkerhoff. Altoona, Pa.